Expansion of T.V. and AIR in border areas

520. SHRI R.T. GOPALAN : Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state :

(a) whether Government have a proposal for the expansion of T.V. and A.I.R. in the border areas ;

(b) if so, the steps taken in this regard; and the position of TV and AIR in different borders ; with particular reference to Rajasthan border areas ; and

(c) the details thereof ?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING (KUMARI GIRIJA VYAS) : (a) and (b) Yes, Sir.

(c) The details of various AIR and TV schemes which are under implementation in border areas, including those in Rajasthan, are given in the statement.

Statement

A. *ALL INDIA RADIO*

S. No.	Location of the Project
1.	Itanagar (Arunachal Pradesh) (50 KW SW)
2.	Itanagar (Arunachal Pradesh) (100 KW MW)
3.	Dhubri (Assam)
4.	Kinnaur (Himachal Pradesh)
5.	Simla (Himachal Pradesh)
6.	Kargil (Jammu & Kashmir)
7.	Poonch (Jammu & Kashmir)
8.	Churachandpur (Manipur)
9.	Imphal (Manipur)
10.	Lungleh (Mizoram)
11.	Kohima (Nagaland)
12.	Jaipur (Rajasthan)
13.	Bikaner (Rajasthan)
14.	Jaisalmer (Rajasthan)
15.	Gangtok (Sikkim)
16.	Tuticorin (Tamil Nadu)
17.	Kailashahar (Tripura)
18.	Belonia (Tripura)
19.	Chamoli (Uttar Pradesh)

S. No. Location of the project

20. Pauri/Srinagar (Uttar Pradesh)
21. Pithrogarh (Uttar Pradesh)
22. Uttarkashi (Uttar Pradesh)
23. Lucknow (Uttar Pradesh)
24. Calcutta (West Bengal)
25. Kurseong (West Bengal)

B. *DOORDARSHAN*

1. Bongaigaon (Assam)
2. Raxaul (Bihar)
3. Bhuj (Gujarat)
4. Rapar (Gujarat)
5. Nakhtarana (Gujarat)
6. Leh (Jammu & Kashmir)
7. Thanamandi (Jammu & Kashmir)
8. Tithwal (Jammu & Kashmir)
9. Uri (Jammu & Kashmir)
10. Sankoo (Jammu & Kashmir)
11. Dras (Jammu & Kashmir)
12. Timsogam (Jammu & Kashmir)
13. Nagrota (Jammu & Kashmir)
14. Barmer (Rajasthan)
15. Jaisalmer (Rajasthan)
16. Bhadra (Rajasthan)
17. Karanpur (Rajasthan)
18. Raisinghnagar (Rajasthan)
19. Fazilka (Punjab)
20. Champawat (Uttar Pradesh)
21. Didihat (Uttar Pradesh)
22. Joshimath (Uttar Pradesh)
23. Jhargram (West Bengal)
24. Contai (West Bengal)
25. Ranaghat (West Bengal)

S. No.	Location of the project
26.	Egra (West Bengal)
27.	Churachandpur (Manipur)
28.	Moreh (Manipur)
29.	Lungleh (Mizoram)
30.	Phek (Nagaland)
31.	Dharmanagar (Tripura)
32.	Gangtok (Sikkim)
33.	Rameshwaram (Tamil Nadu)
34.	Rajapalayam (Tamil Nadu)

Distortion of historical facts in "Kshuderam" episode

521. SHRI S. S. AHLUWALIA : Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state :

(a) whether Government are aware of the allegations about the distortion of historical facts in "Kshuderam' episode of "Bharat Ke Shaheed" serial which was telecast on national network by Doordarshan on Sunday, the 12th January, 1992 ; and

(b) if so, what action Government have taken in this regard ?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING (KUMARI GIRIJA VYAS) : (a) Yes, Sir. Government's attention has been drawn to some adverse comments about the said episode of the serial 'Bharat Ke Shaheed.'

(b) According to Doordarshan, the producers of the said serial have stated that they have projected the heroism and martyrdom of Khudi Ram based on material collected by them from autobiographical accounts and available impressionistic narratives of that period with the best of intentions. Even then this explanation has been accepted by Doordarshan

दिल्ली दूरदर्शन द्वारा अर्जित धनराशि

522. **कुमारी आलिया :** क्या **सूचना और प्रसारण** मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) दिल्ली दूरदर्शन ने पिछले छः महीनों के दौरान विभिन्न धारावाहिकों और विज्ञापनों का प्रसारण करके कितना धन कमाया ; और

(ख) इन धारावाहिकों और विज्ञापनों को दूरदर्शन पर दिखाए जाने के लिए चयन करने की प्रक्रिया संबंधी ब्यौरा क्या है ?

सूचना और प्रसारण मंत्रालय में उप मंत्री (कुमारी गिरिजा व्यास) : (क) अगस्त, 1991 से जनवरी, 1992 की अवधि के दौरान दूरदर्शन केन्द्र, दिल्ली को लगभग 18.42 करोड़ का सकल राजस्व प्राप्त हुआ।

(ख) धारावाहिकों का अनुमोदन उपयुक्त समितियों द्वारा किया जाता है,